

## Message Text

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ACTION EUR-12

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SY-05 CPR-03 SS-15 H-01 L-03 PER-01  
PA-01 SP-02 CIAE-00 INR-10 NSAE-00 NSCE-00 MMO-01  
A-01 /056 W  
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P 261718Z JUL 78  
FM AMEMBASSY MOSCOW  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 4819  
INFO AMCONSUL LENINGRAD

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PDIP, UR, US, ASEC, PINT  
SUBJECT: FURTHER MFA NOTE ON SMITH ACCESS INCIDENT

REF: MOSCOW 17375 AND PREVIOUS

1. IN THE JULY 26 AFTERNOON MAIL WE RECEIVED  
FOLLOWING NOTE FROM MFA ON THE RAY SMITH CASE:

"NUMBER 57/OSSHA

THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE UNION OF  
SOVIET SOCIALIST REPUBLICS REJECTS AS UNACCEPTABLE  
NOTE NUMBER 1338 OF JULY 24 OF THIS YEAR OF THE  
EMBASSY OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, AND  
REAFFIRMS ITS NOTE NUMBER 53/OSSHA OF JULY 21 OF  
THIS YEAR.

MOSCOW, 25 JULY 1978."

2. WE DO NOT PLAN TO RESPOND TO THIS NOTE. TOON

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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptoning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 jan 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** DIPLOMATIC NOTES, DIPLOMATIC PROTESTS, DIPLOMATIC PERSONNEL HARASSMENT  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 26 jul 1978  
**Decapton Date:** 01 jan 1960  
**Decapton Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 20 Mar 2014  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
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**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Expiration:**  
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**Retention:** 0  
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**Review Markings:**  
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